

It's News Here!

AuSable Canoe Marathon on TV

Live on TV? You better believe it! The 32nd running of the AuSable Canoe Marathon will have live coverage, according to Chamber Executive Director, Walt Nowak. It's been learned that a former Michigander, Jerry Chiapetta (now in Florida), will bring a crew that films "Sports Afield", over 60 national TV stations. The word is that the Marathon would be on national TV came from Pete Jonas, Cameraman for TV 5.

The Chamber of Commerce is making all the local arrangements for pre-race activities, interviews and practice runs. The Holiday Inn is furnishing lodging for the TV team.

Again this year, the radio station W.G.R.Y. will be covering "live" the beginning of the race.

Rice Asks For an Appeal on Life Sentencing

Notice was recently received by the Prosecutor's Office that Jack Edgar Rice, convicted slayer of John A. Messenheimer, has filed an appeal to set aside a guilty plea and motioned for a new trial.

Rice was convicted on December 28, 1978, and sentenced to life imprisonment on January 22, 1979.

On May 11th, he filed an original motion, to set aside his guilty plea, however, after a hearing during which the Prosecuting Attorney for the County, Tom Kent appeared, an order for the withdrawal of the motion was entered.

Rice is now claiming that there were certain technical errors committed by the court at the time of sentencing such as failure by the judge to state on the record his reasons for the life term sentence.

Prosecutor Kent is now in the process of preparing a brief in response to the appeal and plans to appear and present oral arguments, if necessary, before the Court of Appeals in Lansing.

Kent indicated that a decision on the appeal may not be decided for several months.

Milltown Smogasbord Goes Hawaiian

The Mill-Town Smorgasbord is going Hawaiian this year.

This annual event sponsored by the members of Grayling Chapter, No. 83, OES, and Grayling Lodge No. 356, F & AM will have the atmosphere of the Islands.

We will have our scrumptious variety of salads and our dessert table, plus chicken, pork and Hawaiian meatballs. You can be a part of this setting by getting your tickets from June or Charles Ryan at 348-8427 or 348-7662 or Irene or Dale Peterson at 348-2389 or 348-8371 or at the door.

Our tickets are the same as last year, (no inflation) Adults: \$4.00, children under 12, \$2.00 and little folks under 5 are free.

Serving will begin at 4:00 p.m. and will continue till 8:00 p.m. on Sat. Aug. 4, 1979. Elsie Jansen, Publicity

Continental Singers Here July 30

The "Continental Singers and Orchestra", will present a live 90-minute concert of contemporary Christian music on Monday, July 30th at 7:30 p.m., at the Grayling High School Auditorium.

Admission to the concert is free, with an offering taken to help with the group's expenses.

Attention Band Students

There will be a rehearsal on Tuesday, July 31st at 6:00 for students entering 8th through 12th grade.

This rehearsal is mandatory, as we will be practicing for the Mill Town parade and a short concert that follows. The rehearsal will end at approximately 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Robert Harris
Band Director

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Not only did you give the 40 pints of blood needed so badly by 2 pm last Tuesday, July 17th, but 131 of you wonderful people came to donate a pint of your precious blood, making it the biggest mid-July Blood Bank yet!

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Imagine how grateful the Families of these surgical patients must be for your unselfish generosity in providing the life saving blood they needed.

We in Red Cross salute you wonderful Donors!



LIONS CLUB PRESENTS PLAQUE—At the recent Installation of Officers of the Grayling Lions Club, Past President Lion Don Prause presented Dr. Paul Dosch with a plaque for his faithful service to the Grayling Eye Bank.

Dr. Dosch has gotten up at all hours to enucleate eyes, to be taken to the University Hospital for transplant.

by Joe Schrader
A proposal by the government to include 91 miles of the AuSable River in a Wild & Scenic Rivers program was denounced in a public hearing held here in Grayling last Friday night at the high school.

Recalling his earlier opposition to the RARE II

wilderness set-aside program in Northern Michigan, Congressman Bob Davis testified against federal designation of the AuSable River as a part of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers system.

"As I stated during the earlier RARE II debate, I am against any further

wilderness set-asides in Northern Michigan, particularly as they apply to the control of privately owned lands," Davis stated at the public hearing here Friday evening. "Our people are fully aware of the unique character of their environment and they, too, want to insure

their ability to retain this special quality of life.

Gene E. Earl, Hearing officer, set a five-minute time limit for those wishing to testify which was extended to ten because of audience objection.

Before a packed-house audience at the Joseph

Stripe Auditorium, Davis's comments pretty much set the tone for the substance of the hearing which saw some 40 residents speak out against the proposal.

While only Congress can make a final decision on the matter, it was obvious at Friday's session that public sentiment opposes

it. Northern Michigan natives appeared obviously restive about the U.S. Forest Service proposal to include the 91-mile stretch of the AuSable, stretching through Crawford, Alcona and Oscoda counties in the protected area.

"We've protected and See Opposed on Page 16

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DR. MODESTO LORENZO, Head of the Radiology Dept. of Mercy Hospital, is shown here analyzing x-rays taken recently at the facility by one of his seven staff members. (Joe Schrader photo)

Radiology Week Observed

Mercy Hospital of Grayling, along with hospitals throughout the nation, will be acknowledging the week of July 22-29, 1979 as National Radiologic Technologist Week. During this time, recognition will be given to the Radiologic Technologists who work in all phases of the profession: Diagnostic Radiology; Nuclear Medicine; Radia-

tion Therapy; and Ultrasound.

Mercy Hospital's Radiology Department, headed by Doctor Modesto A. Lorenzo, Chief of Department of Radiology, is presently staffed by seven Radiologic Technologists, one Nuclear Medicine Technologist, one Ultrasound Technician, two Radiology Transcrip-

tionists, and one Radiology Aide. Two additional Radiologic Technologist positions, recently authorized, are expected to be filled shortly.

Presently open 16 hours daily, it is planned to expand the department's operating hours to 24 effective August 1, 1979. Increased patient usage of See Radiology on Page 8

On August 13

Schools to Ask For Same Millage

The Crawford AuSable Schools will return to the voters on Aug. 13 to request the same 18.9 mills that was defeated in the June balloting because the school program will be drastically cut without the increased income from the millage.

School Supt. William Diedrich made that statement as a result of his analysis he and the Board of Education have made of the present cash position and inflation costs.

He noted that the drastic

cuts in the program are not a threat but a reality. "The procedure of having the state 'bail us out' is no longer possible in view of the Headlee Amendment," he said.

Another major reason for the request of an identical millage is because the board wanted a better turnout of voters to insure that the majority of citizens were in favor of a drastically cut program, Diedrich commented.

Diedrich said that the question has often arisen about why the ballot was not divided into two issues, the renewal and additional

millage. He emphasized that the reason it was not separated is because the school board is saying to the voters that the two millages are needed to See Millage on Page 2

Kiwanis Picnic

Next week, July 30th the regular noon meeting will be moved to the evening. This will be ladies night beginning at 6:30.

Bring your own meat to grill and lawn chairs and meet at Charlie Fick's cottage on Lake Margrethe. In case of bad weather, please call for location, 348-4801.

Milltown Dance To Kick-Off Fete

This year's Milltown Fete will be kicked off on Wednesday, August 1st with a dance at the Eagles Club beginning at 7:30 p.m. (No dinner is involved as reported in a previous article).

Doug Slater's AuSable River Band will provide the music for the evening which will include dancing contests, the waltz, jitterbug, disco and Mexican Hat Dance.

The "Citizen of the Year Award" will be presented and all proceeds from the function will be used to benefit the American Business Women's Scholarship Fund.

Cost for attending is \$5.00 and a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres will also be available. Stop out and help the Milltown Festival get started off in grand fashion!!

"Citizen Of The Year"

Nominees Being Accepted

Applications are now being accepted at the Chamber of Commerce here in Grayling for nominations for the "Citizen of the Year" Award. Nominees are asked to provide as much information as possible so that judges can make a logical and reasonable determination. Address your nominee to "Citizen of the Year", c/o Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 406, Grayling,

35 Teams Entered

AuSable Canoe Race Set For This Friday

by Joe Schrader

Everything is set for canoeists to "take to the paddle" this Friday night in quest of the 1979 Grayling to Oscoda AuSable River Canoe Marathon Championship.

The tortuous, 240-mile event is set to start this Friday night at 8:00 p.m. from Ray's Canoe Livery with teams embarking on the non-stop adventure concluding in Oscoda the next day. An Amateur event is scheduled to start an hour earlier at 7:00 p.m.

Butch Stockton is handling this year's event, expected to take the winning team some 15 hours to complete. Canoeing professionals from all over the world are entered in the Marathon, now in its 32nd year. The event is rapidly growing in world prestige.

About 4000 people are expected to follow the race in the 15-hour period, pretty much during the dark of night, between the start and arrival of the winners at the mouth of the AuSable at Oscoda the next day.

Last year's winners were Jay Stephan and John

Roscommon

Fair Aug. 10-11-12

The Roscommon County Fair will run Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 10th, 11th and 12th.

On Saturday at 9 a.m. the 4-H Horse Show will take place. Also on Saturday the Frisbee and Archery Tournaments will be held.

Other weekend activities include midway games, children's games, dunk tank and Flea Market.

The National Guard will have a display at the Fairgrounds that will be an interest to everyone.

There will be a Lumber Jack Breakfast starting at 6 a.m. on Sunday, sponsored by the Gerrish Township Fire Dept.

Be sure to be there to watch the Air Show on Sunday at 1 p.m. This is an event worth watching.

Baker of Grayling who paddled their way to the championship in 15 hours and six minutes. The course record, though, goes to Jeff & Jerry Kellogg who in 1974 came in at 14 hours, 40 minutes.

The race includes five dam portages and the purse this year has been set at over \$7000. Stockton said that over 40 teams will be

entered with about 20 expected to finish.

Winners in the first Marathon held in 1974 were Allen Carr and Delbert Case, who, in winning \$500 for their effort, paddled a 100 pound canoe over 21 hours while beating all other contestants in the Marathon's first year.

See List of Contestants on Page 16.

"Super Run 250"

Snowmobile Celebrity in Grayling for MOD

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce announced that the March of Dimes Snowmobile Celebrity Marathon committee has chosen Grayling as the site of its 1980 Celebrity Marathon and "Super Run 250" in February. The activity will center around the Holiday Inn Holiday which connects to the snowmobile trails to be used for both a 50 mile celebrity plus the long distance 250 mile run.

This is a state activity which will include members from affiliated clubs of The Michigan Association of Recreational Snowmobilers (Mars) who will share the weekend with celebrities like Charlie Sanders, former all-pro tight end of The Detroit Lions; Bill Freehan, Mickey Stanley and Jim Northrup of The Detroit Tigers.

The Chamber has been informed that Jon Powers, March of Dimes coordinator of the Grand Rapids office, expects to use all of the rooms at the Holiday. The weekend activities will include the Winter Festival, autograph

Elmer Hanover Dies Tuesday

Elmer Hanover died Tuesday morning at Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor. Friends may contact Sorenson Funeral Home for details.

signing sessions with the celebrities, and an awards banquet.

Powers said that Gray- See Celebrity on Page 8

Former Resident Earns Promotion



L. Allan Barkley has been promoted to Vice President at Teledyne Continental in Charge of Procurement at Teledyne Continental Motors, Aircraft Products Division in Mobile, Alabama, it was announced today by Ralph Hillard, Senior Vice President.

For eleven years prior to joining Teledyne Continental in 1978, Mr. Barkley was Materials Manager at Bear Archery in Grayling, Michigan. Earlier he was See Promotion on Page 2

In Special Session

Commission Meets—Cutbacks Discussed

by Joe Schrader

In a meeting held last Thursday, the County Board of Commissioners met in special session to discuss the pending budget deficit facing the county.

"We just have to do something about it," remarked Chairman Larry Mattis as Commission members looked at spending cuts that may reduce the budget now anticipated to be in the neighborhood of some \$150,000. "We are

going in the hole by leaps and bounds," said Mattis to the large public group attending the session.

The Commission recently announced layoffs of a sizeable number of county employees, along with CETA workers, recovering about \$50,000 of this year's projected deficit.

Probably most of the serious concerns expressed at Wednesday's meeting was the question of adequate police protection

of out-lying residents. A number of Lake Margrethe property owners expressed concern about a possible cut-off in police surveillance.

Sheriff Curt Haas had this to say: "We definitely do have a financial problem within the county—there's no doubt about that. Our police schedule will have to be based on a matter of priority."

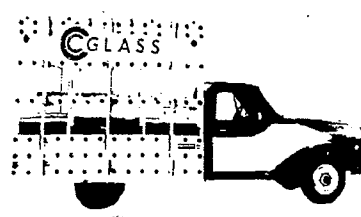
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Cutbacks

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members went to Cadillac on Wednesday to discuss layoff procedures with union representatives. Attorney Tom Kent represented the county in the Wednesday session, and although a number of alternatives were discussed, no final decision was reached on the layoff question, centered primarily around the sheriff's dept. cutback. According to Commissioner Jackie Bonkowski, the county could be faced with a grievance involving that particular layoff which could cost the county "some \$40-\$50,000 in binding arbitration costs."

A recent audit by the State of Michigan revealed that 20% must be cut from each of the county's departments for the system to be self-sufficient. County officials along with the sheriff are struggling about the cutback in the sheriff's dept., with the final objective, of course, providing adequate protection to all Crawford County residents with capable personnel.

In a day age that finds gas plentiful in and around Crawford County "reasonably plentiful", but expensive, the Commission finds itself in an "Energy Crunch".

W.O.T.M. News

The meeting of July 16, was opened by Judy Eberts. We voted to reinstate Marian Day Reynolds. This was approved.

August 4th and 5th will be a big time for our lodge. It is Milltown weekend and there will be a chicken Bar-B-Que behind the lodge. There will also be a bake sale and sidewalk sale put on by the ladies. If you ladies have anything to donate, please drop it off at the lodge.

Our next meeting is August 6th at 8:00. Please try to attend.

Publicity Chairman
Cheryl Starr

Common Stock Still Available

Ted Kortas, President of Northern National Bank (in organization) announces that there is a limited amount of common stock available for ownership in the bank.

The original deadline for purchasing has been extended and any interested persons should call the bank office in Grayling 348-6511.

Promotion

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Purchasing Agent at the Chrysler Corporation in Detroit, Mr. Barkley was educated in Michigan schools and attended the University of Detroit where he majored in Business Administration.

Teledyne Continental is the world's foremost producer of aircraft piston engines for general aviation planes. These aircraft include those built by Cessna, Beech, and Piper which are used broadly here and abroad for business and personal transportation and flight training. The company's headquarters and manufacturing plant is on the Brookley Industrial Complex in Mobile, Alabama.

Millage

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maintain existing levels of the program.

According to Diedrich, in order to operate the school under the 15.65 mills last year it was necessary to use \$108 thousand of the reserve fund. He said that the reserve is called a fund equity and includes items of inventory such as gasoline in storage tanks but not necessarily money. The cash that is in the account is a reserve that is maintained to pay the bills during July and August, Diedrich commented.

Diedrich said that the school has already run into problems with the reduced cash availability because it is more difficult to meet the summer payrolls and pay the bills. He noted that the school is borrowing more frequently and cannot borrow as much money as it could before. The reason, he said, is because the school can only borrow against 7.1 mills because that is the county allocated millage. Due to the defeat in June of the 15.65 renewal, this guarantee for borrowing no longer exists.


The school is also losing money because the ready cash cannot be invested for as long a period of time and therefore does not draw as much interest, Diedrich commented.

"If the present 15.65 mills were to be the financial base of the school, we would be \$300 thousand short of meeting expenses," Diedrich said. In order to make up that difference it is absolutely essential that the schools ask for an additional 3.25 mills, he commented.

Inflation cost that has created the need for the additional millage includes: transportation cost up 17 percent, heating cost 18 percent and electricity up 5 percent. Other expected increases are: Special Education 8 percent and paper products 30 percent.

Diedrich concluded that the need is still there for the money and things have not changed a bit since the millage defeat.

American Viewpoints



Liberty is a thing of the spirit — to be free to worship, to think, to hold opinions, and to speak without fear — free to challenge wrong and oppression with surety of justice.

Herbert Hoover



AMERICAN RED CROSS—According to Harrison Goodhue, 131 donors attended last week's blood bank at the American Legion Hall. In the top photo here some of them are shown "in action" while the bottom photo shows a group awaiting their turn. (Joe Schrader photos).



Frederic Library Film Program

The Frederic Community Library film program had 23 children in attendance at their last films.

On Thursday, July 26, at 1:00 p.m. at the Frederic Town Hall the Library will show two films, "Good Hearted Aunt" and "Little Rooster Made the Sun Rise". All children of the community are invited.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

July 26, 1953 — The revolution in Cuba begins as Fidel Castro, Son of a wealthy sugar planter, mounts his initial attack against dictator Fulgencio Batista.

July 27, 1960 — Richard M. Nixon is nominated for the Presidency at the Republican National Convention in Chicago.

July 28, 1914 — World War I "officially" begins as Austria declares war on Serbia.

July 30, 1619 — Delegates from Virginia plantations convene the first representative assembly in America.

July 31, 1948 — President Harry S. Truman dedicates the New York International Airport at Idlewild Field in New York City as 900 airplanes fly overhead. The field was later renamed Kennedy International Airport in memory of assassinated leader John F. Kennedy.

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From Our Corner ...



There is nothing like a weekend of R & R...especially if it is on the Island (Mackinac that is)...one has the chance to listen to the hoof beat of the horses, and at the same time mingle around the jet-setters and yacht owners...

This past weekend we attended a Michigan Press Association Conference on the island and were fortunate to talk our friend Bernie Fowler, who is a member of the Grayling Kodiak Flying Club to fly the boss and I up Friday morning, and come after us Sunday afternoon. It was a different experience for us, and we appreciated Bernie taking time off of his busy schedule...

More on the weekend later.

Being out of town Friday evening, and unable to attend the meeting on the Wild & Scenic Rivers proposal we understand from talking to several individuals and reading a couple articles on it our bureaucrats promoting the proposal should have heard enough opposition to it, they should file it in 13...

For the life of us, we cannot understand why every 3 to 5 years it seems that either the state of federal conservation groups decide they want to come into our habitat and tell us we have to change this or that for the good of conservation, or our environment...

The problem is, the ones making all these suggestions for the good of the people...only know us by looking at a map and saying this must be the place they need help...

We need help is for sure...help to keep these people off our backs and for them to look elsewhere to harass the citizens in order to keep their job functions operable or go on the bread line...

Thinking about this situation...it must be getting time for the Fisheries Department of the DNR to make their pitch on taking out the dams here in Grayling in order to keep our trout in cooler surroundings...

Back to the Island...there is a song about this and we thoroughly agree...the weekend took away that ?????? out look on life and we returned with all that vim and vigor we are so noted for...right now...our vim is still with us...vigger went home an hour ago...

Another thing...we thought when we were way up north, there would be no one around we knew...not so, we couldn't even hide on the Island...Saturday afternoon our bride and I decided to take a stroll downtown, we hadn't hardly gotten away from the front porch of the hotel and we bumped into the Bob McLachlans...we exchanged pleasantries and went our merry way, we met once more down on Fudge Street, USA, Bob didn't even listen when I told him all that fudge he was carrying would make him fat like someone else I know...

Figuring that would be the only occasion we would meet anyone else we knew, we put on a tie (second time in 6 years) and following an orange pop reception by MPA we again broke bread along with the jetters and yachters...it was elegant...

Sunday came to soon...following lunch we headed back to the air field via horse and buggy to meet Bernie at 10 o'clock...to our surprise as we entered the little terminal there were the Jerry Walkers and the George Olsens...they had jetted up for the day, and through conversation we understand there were 2 or 3 other couples from Grayling up there...

Thinking about it...if Lake Margrethe had an outlet to the great lakes, we would probably have some of our own yachters spending the weekend on the isle...

Once again we will try and get across to our readers on the policy of Letters to the Editor: Letters must be signed, however in some instances we will withhold the name if requested. Letters should be kept as short as possible. This week we received 2 letters, one had signed their name, but wished to be anonymous, the letter appears in this issue. The other letter was signed, one concerned mother, this letter will not be printed as we have to know the identity of the writers.

We have to put this little ending in this week...because T.J. and Stefs mother was perturbed when we told her we had mentioned the fact they were over here last week but had to cut it out to make room for the exploits of our buddy Jack Cullin. To make amends we are going over Wednesday to pick up dog Muff who had spent the time with them...speaking of dogs...T.J. and Stefs pony is really a BIG black Lab...this is for our readers who wondered how we kept a pony in our house...

Have a nice weekend...plan on attending the 32nd running of the AuSable River canoe marathon...

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23 Years Ago
July 28, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mikesell announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Nancy to Richard Klein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Klein of Fletcher. A September 14th wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schrieber and Mr. Charles Wood of Dearborn were Thursday night dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber.

Mrs. Jess Sales was hostess to the Danish Reading Circle at her summer home on the AuSable last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gothro and family spent last Thursday afternoon and evening in Traverse City. While there they attended the Cherry County Playhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo, Ohio spent last weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Paul Zeibell and also to attend the Sorenson-McEvers wedding on Saturday.

Mr. Art Clough announces the sale of the Bruce Smith home on Huron Street to Mr. and Mrs. Laurin K. Wing. Mr. Wing is the Manager of the A & P Store here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hartig spent last week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Campbell and Donald of Grayling and friends in Frederic.

Mrs. Leonard Knibbs was hostess to eighteen friends of her daughter Nancy last Sunday, July 22nd, in honor of Nancy's 7th birthday. The children played games with prizes won by Marilyn Joseph and Roger Hubble. A picnic at the Pines was planned, but due to the uncooperative weather, the lunch was served at the Knibbs's home.

Miss Toni Madsen is spending the week in Gaylord at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Svend Madsen.

John Bruun spent from Sunday until Wednesday in Lansing on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knutilla of Escanaba spent last weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Walker returned home Sunday after spending three days sailing on Canadian waters on the White Cloud II as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Davis.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parkinson are their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barber and son Johnny of Bay City, Texas, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parkinson of Detroit.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hickory are their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill and daughter Diane of Detroit.

46 Years Ago
July 27, 1933

Glen Wilcox of Detroit formerly of Grayling is with the National Guard at Camp Grayling.

Miss Virginia Hanson and Miss Elizabeth Ann Meistrup were in Houghton Lake last Friday visiting their aunt, Mrs. Glen Smith (Cornelia Meistrup).

Miss Elaine Regan is assisting at the Central Drug Store evenings.

Earl Dawson was in Saginaw Sunday from where he drove back a new Graham-Paige.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Larson and the formers mother, Mrs. John Larson, of Lansing were guests of Mrs. Hansine Hanson over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Creque Jr., of Flint, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus

Rasmussen over the weekend.

Wesley LaGrow left Sunday for Detroit, where he will be employed in a furniture factory permanently.

Keith Sorenson was very excited on his return trip home from his first fishing trip Sunday. When he had a green bass 12 inches long and a rock bass 9 1/2 inches long to show.

Mrs. C.J. Clippert and daughter Billyann, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Webb, and Miss Cornelia Green were in Petoskey Saturday.

Mrs. C.R. Keyport and daughter Miss Hayme and Miss Mary Schumann spent Saturday in Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. O'Coners of Chicago, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Schoonover.

Mrs. T. Boeson, Mrs. Louis Herbison, Mrs. Joseph McLeod, and Mrs. Jess Sales, are among those who took in the Cherry Festival at Traverse City. They enjoyed the parade Thursday.

Richard Williams of Houghton Lake arrived Monday to barber in the Carl Sorenson shop.

69 Years Ago
July 28, 1910

Rev. Fr. Webeler of Cheboygan was a welcome guest at St. Mary's rectory visiting Rev. Fr. Riess for a few days this week.

Married—On July 26, 1910, Mr. Roman Lietz and Miss Clara Gross both of this place, were married at St. Mary's Church by Rev. John J. Riess. They left on the midnight train for AuSable and from thence they go out east to spend a few weeks.

O. Palmer and his wife W.W. Palmer and their niece, Miss Ruth Barlow attended the meeting of the N.E.M. Press Association at Cheboygan this week.

Claude Martin, who now has the title of Rev. Martin is shaking hands with many friends here for a few days.

Mrs. H.W. Harrington and daughter Ruth are spending a few weeks with relatives at Grand Marais, Michigan.

Born Wednesday, July 27th to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, a daughter, Mrs. Edward Boddy of Kenosha Wisconsin, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Taylor.

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Gal 2:1-6

Paul went up to the church of Jerusalem after 14 years to gain confirmation of his gospel of grace by the leaders of the mother church, Peter, James and John. "Then fourteen years after I went up again to Jerusalem with Baranabas, and took Titus with me also." Verse 1. Baranabas, meaning "son of encouragement", and Titus, a Gentile believer were both very important co-workers with Paul in the early Gentile churches.

Paul went to Jerusalem "by revelation", that is, God personally told him to go. God had a reason for this special, private meeting of the leaders of the early church, to strengthen their position concerning a common gospel of grace. "And I went up by revelation, and communicated unto them that gospel which I preach among the Gentiles, but privately to them which were of reputation, lest by any means I should run, or had run, in vain." Verse 2.

The leadership of the church of Jerusalem accepted the workers of Paul as good Christians even though they had never been circumcised as Jews. "But neither Titus, who was with me, being a Greek, was compelled to be circumcised." The leaders agreed with Paul that one could be a good Christian without first becoming a good Jew.

The entire question had arisen because of false teachers who were saying Paul's gospel of grace was not enough to save a person. One must be obedient to the Old Testament scriptures also to be saved. "And that because of false brethren unawares brought

in, who came in privily to spy our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage." Verse 4.

Paul declared that he would not give an inch on the gospel of Grace because he believed it to be the truth of the gospel. "To whom we gave place by subjection, no, not for an hour; that the truth of the gospel might continue with you." Verse 5. Even during this first century, Satan was already at work trying to pervert the gospel of God's grace to include man's obedience by human works as a necessary part of the gospel message. Paul would not tolerate this for an hour. Truth was more important to Paul than friendship or fellowship.

Paul did not even show concern for the reputation and authority of the great apostles, Peter, James or John, but was rather pleased with the common agreement they shared concerning the gospel of God's grace. "But these who seemed to be somewhat, (whatsoever they were, it maketh no matter to me: God accepteth no man's person;) for they who seemed to be somewhat in conference added nothing to me."

My friend there is but one true gospel which can take sinners on their road to Hell and send them on their way to Heaven. There is but one true gospel which can assure man all his sins are forgiven. There is but one true gospel which can promise a man eternal life with God. This gospel is the gospel of God's grace in our Lord Jesus Christ. It is the message that Jesus Christ died for our sins, was buried, and rose again that we might have eternal life. 1 Cor 15:3,4. (adv.)

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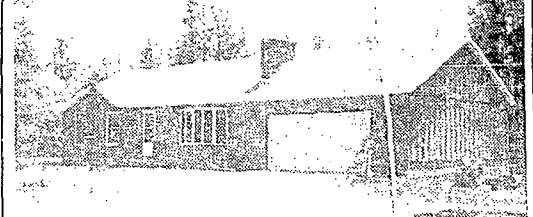
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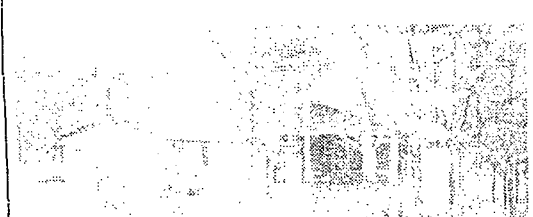
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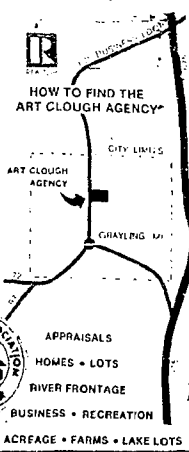
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LEARN TO DRIVE—The Grayling Driver's Training School will prepare you for your driver's license. Call 348-8927 for information. 26-2-9-16

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FOR SALE—Lake Margrethe, 3 bedroom home, private beach lake access, fireplace, huge wooded lot, insulated, forced air 3 yrs. old, \$47,500 By Owner. Call 348-9790 or 517-351-0942. 12/8/23

FOUND—Set of keys on ring with white rabbit's foot. Owner may have by calling 348-9884 and paying for ad. 26-

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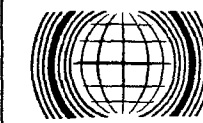
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By GOULD CROOK

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8-ounce package elbow macaroni — cooked according to directions
Cut salami, ham or bologna into strips — about 8 ounces
Chop 1/2 cup sweet pickles, 1 1/2 cup celery and 1/4 cup each green pepper and green onions.

Slice 1 cup swiss or cheddar cheese into strips
Mix in remaining ingredients and season with salt, pepper and celery seed.

A couple hard-boiled eggs chopped can be added.
Cover and chill an hour or more.

Serve with hot buttered French bread and you'll have a good meal.

Be sure the macaroni is drained well, rinsed with cold water and drained again then cooled.

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Northwood Symphonette To Present Roscommon Concerts



Jacqueline Hofto



Ulrich Von Stemm

Midland—In cooperation with the Roscommon Chamber Music Society Arts Council, the Northwood Symphonette will present two concerts of "Midsummer Night's Music" on August 3 and August 10, both at 8:30 p.m. at the Roscommon High School Auditorium.

Under the direction of Don Th. Jaeger, the Northwood Symphonette is a new fully professional 36-member chamber orchestra featuring outstanding instrumentalists from throughout the United States and Europe. This virtuoso ensemble will present a varied program on

each of the concert dates. At the premiere performance on August 3, the evening will feature guest soloist lyric soprano Paulina Stark. She has received wide critical acclaim for her rich, expressive voice, compelling stage presence, flawless diction and incisive interpretation. A frequent soloist with orchestras, Ms. Stark has appeared with the CBS, Halle (England), Houston and other symphonies under such conductors as Barbirolli, Foster, Antonini, Goldovsky and composers David Amram and Lukas Foss.

Among the evening's program selections are: Air de Ballet "Les Indes Galantes" by Rameau; Valse Triste by Sibelius; Les Nuits D' Ete by Berlioz; L'Amore, Saro Costente, from "Il Re Pastore" by Mozart; Cuarteto Madrigales Amatorios by Rodrigo; and Symphony No. 88 in G Major by Haydn.

For its August 10 performance, the Northwood Symphonette will be joined by guest soloists Jacqueline Hofto, accordion and Ulrich von Stemm, horn.

Few musicians can be accomplished artists on more than one instrument, but Jacqueline Hofto is a virtuoso on both flute and accordion. The world champion accordionist in 1966, she toured the British Isles as a guest accordion soloist and has given distinguished concerts at the Cleveland Institute of Music, University of North Carolina, Interlochen, the Nashville Symphony and Northwestern Michigan Symphony. Recently returned from a triumphant tour of Scotland as flute soloist, Ms. Hofto is presently instructor of flute at the Interlochen Arts Academy.

Ulrich von Stemm is principal horn of the North German Radio Orchestra in Hannover, West Germany. He has traveled extensively in Europe not only as soloist with the Radio Orchestra, but with numerous chamber ensembles, performing at many of Europe's prestigious music festivals. He has performed with and served as a member of the faculty of the Internationales Jugend Orchestra in Berlin and last summer was principal horn of the Matix:Midland Festival.

The evenings program selections are: Simple Symphony by Britten; Symphonic Fantasy and Allegro for Accordion by Schmidt; Nocturne, Scherzo and Dance from "Midsummer Night's Dream" by Mendelssohn; Concerto No. II in D Major for Horn by Haydn; and Ritmo Jondo (Flamenco Ballet) by Surinach.

Tickets for each concert performance are \$4.00 and can be purchased in advance from Roscommon Hardware, Northern Drugs, and Higgins Lake Pine Pantry or by mail from Northwood Institute, Midland, Michigan 48640. Tickets may also be purchased at the door the night of the concert.

Tickets in Grayling are available at Flowers by Josie's on Michigan Ave.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for their cards, visits and prayers while I was a patient at Mercy Hospital in Grayling, also while a patient at Lockwood McDonald Hospital and Little Traverse Hospital at Petoskey. And a special thanks to Dr. Blaha and Rev. George Spencer, the nursing and laboratory staff at Mercy Hospital.

God Bless All of You,
George Granger Sr.

Editor's Mailbox

To The Editor:
The Little League season is over for this year. I think the director, coaches and others, who have had a part in this activity deserve a big thanks for the time and effort put forth in training the boys and teams.

I've enjoyed the games I've attended but was surprised during the first game at the "Chatter" from the field when the opposing team was up to bat.

Somehow, to me, this doesn't seem exactly sportsman like. You don't have it in high school or college sports nor in the big league so why does it start in our Little League?

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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF

GRAYLING STATE BANK

of Grayling, Michigan 49738 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business June 30, 1979, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Dollar Amounts in Thousands
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ASSETS	
Cash and due from depository institutions	3,264
U.S. Treasury securities	735
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	3,278
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2,999
All other securities	1,697
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	NONE
(a) Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	17,095
(b) Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	187
(c) Loans, Net	16,908
Lease financing receivables	NONE
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	325
Real estate owned other than bank premises	58
All other assets	337
TOTAL ASSETS	29,601

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,061
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	15,657
Deposits of United States Government	35
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	3,243
All other deposits	NONE
Certified and officers' checks	284
TOTAL DEPOSITS	24,280
(a) Total demand deposits	6,087
(b) Total time and savings deposits	18,193
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	NONE
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	2,600
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases	NONE
All other liabilities	343
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	27,223
Subordinated notes and debentures	NONE

EQUITY CAPITAL	
Preferred stock (par value)	NONE
(a) No. shares outstanding - NONE	
Common Stock (par value)	360
(a) No. shares authorized - 18,000	
(b) No. shares outstanding - 18,000	
Surplus	840
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	1,178
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	2,378
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	29,601

MEMORANDA	
Deposits of State Money - Michigan	44
Amounts outstanding as of report date:	
(a) Standby letters of credit, total	NONE
(b) Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	1,200
(c) Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	NONE
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:	
(a) Total deposits	24,880

I, John H. Alef, President, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN H. ALEF, PRESIDENT

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true and correct.

Paul J. Thomson
Larry McNamara
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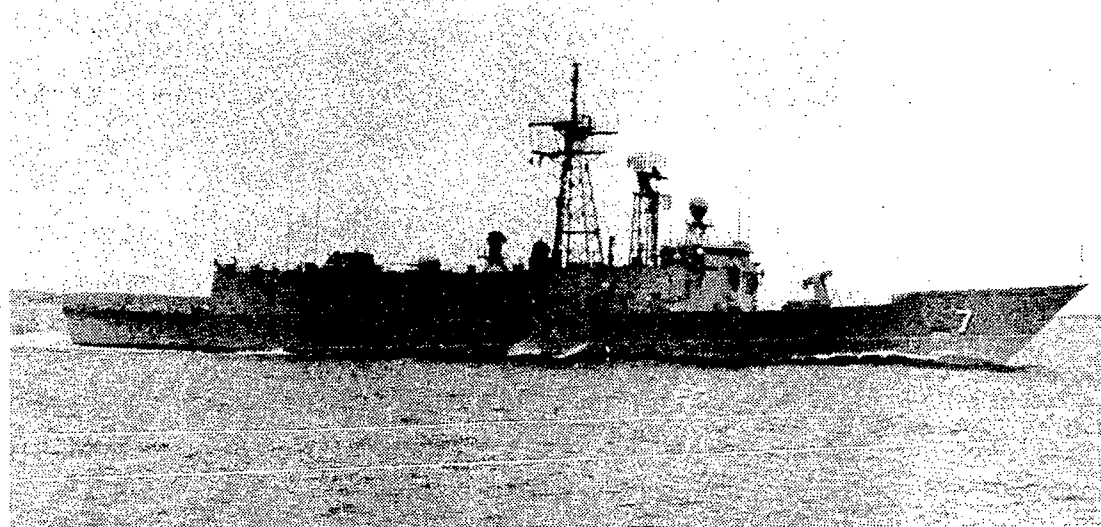
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Perry will tie up at the old state ferry dock at the end of Ferry St., and be open to the public each afternoon of its stay. The purpose of the cruise is to bring the Navy to a large segment of the American people in an inland area; to support recruiting and to train crews in restricted water navigation and operations.

Commissioned in 1977, USS Oliver Hazard Perry is the first of a new class of guided missile frigates designed to provide protection for military and merchant convoys, naval logistics ships and amphibious forces. The ship is homeported in Mayport, Fla., and has a crew of 11 officers and 157 enlisted men. It is named for the legendary naval hero who defeated a British fleet on Lake Erie during the War of 1812.

Two ships are participating in the cruise and will separately visit many cities on the Great Lakes. The tank landing ship USS Fairfax County (LST 1193) and the

Perry are scheduled to visit Ogdensburg, Messena, Oswego, Buffalo and Clayton N.Y.; Erie, Pa.; Cleveland, Ohio; St. Ignace, Sault Ste Marie, Marquette and Detroit, Mich.; Chicago, Ill.; Duluth, Minn.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

USS Fairfax County, homeported in Little Creek, Virginia, has a crew of 13 officers and 214 enlisted men. As an amphibious force ship the Fairfax County is designed to provide the fastest, most efficient means of landing tanks, combat vehicles and artillery onto a beach under assault conditions.

Aboard Fairfax County will be 125 Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, marines of the Second Marine Division, Camp LeJeune, N.C., with representative landing force equipment, including assault amphibious vehicles, an M-60 tank, a 105mm howitzer and other equipment.

This is the second consecutive year Navy ships have made a Great Lakes cruise. Last summer three destroyers visited ports on lakes Ontario and Erie. This year's cruise has been expanded to include visits to ports on lakes Huron, Superior and Michigan.

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Bits O'Talk

By Fay Bovee

Raylene Slusser of Lansing was a weekend guest of her parents, Ray and Eunice Slusser.

The Jack Trudgeon family have been busy with company the past several weeks. Spending a week with them were her sister and husband, Jack and Alberta Poland of Longmont, Colorado. Another sister and husband, Bob and Evelyn Mitchell, of Dexter, spent a long weekend with them. A brother and his wife, Bill and Joan Savoie of Pewamo, brought his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rene Savoie of the Sault and Sister Alberta Marie, of Kansas, Aggie's aunt. Bill was on his way to his class reunion at Rudyard. The Rene Savoie and Sister Alberta remained for four days.

Of interest to their Grayling friends was the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration of York and Berta Edmonds in Pueblo,

Colorado, on Sunday, July 22, 1979.

Have you noticed the big smiles from Dick and Ann DuBois? That's because a beautiful granddaughter arrived on July 18, 1979. She weighed in at 9 lbs. and was named Leslie Hanna. The proud parents are Steve and Paddy DuBois of Gaylord.

Glen and Dorothy Steward and their daughter, Julie, of Oak Park, Illinois, spent the weekend with her Uncle George Griffith and Mrs. Griffith at the Barless Hook on the AuSable.

Mr. and Mrs. N.A. Svenson and daughter, Heidi, of Irvine, Cal., and son David and his fiancée of Beaumont, Tex., are vacationing in the Grayling area visiting their daughter and husband, David and Karen Ross and family, and Mrs. Svenson's father, George Lindberg and Mrs. Lindberg.

Mercy Hospital Auxiliary

The Mercy Hospital Auxiliary News. Ladies don't forget our next auxiliary meeting, August 9th at 1:00 p.m. at the North Wing.

Our Bake Sale will be the 3rd and 4th of August during the Mill Town Festival.

We had an election of officers: Mrs. Harriet Rybecki, president; Marge Oliver, vice president; Liz Monahan, secretary and Virginia Partridge, treasurer.

Your news rep'rter, Doris Payne

Playboy

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A comeback for the nickel?

RICHARD MILLIMAN

Time once more for one of our infrequent strolls, barefoot among the potpourri.

The shock hasn't yet worn off for some of us after the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania unveiled its latest attempt to juggle prices.

The shock may never wear off at all, if I understand the proposals correctly.

Pennsylvania Bell wants to reduce its pay-station rate from a dime to a nickel for a one-minute phone call. How about that, sports fans?

The company said it is losing \$4.5 million a year under the current flat rate of a dime a call, so it wants to charge customers a nickel a minute instead on the pay phone. Bell claims its studies show that 45 percent of pay phone customers finish their calls in less than a minute, while another 20 percent talk less than two minutes.

Those figures indicate to me that under the new Bell proposal, 65 percent would pay more than the present dime.

The whole idea sounds fine to me. Let those who talk a long time pay for it. My own use of pay phones is on the short side, so I'd save money.

The disturbing thing is this: How come in Michigan (and some other places) it costs not a dime but 20 cents to use a pay phone? If Pennsylvania Bell wants a sliding scale starting at a nickel, and can make ends meet on that basis, why not try the same thing in Michigan?

Is anybody listening, Mr. Bell? If it wasn't so serious, it would be downright funny.

Reference is had to U.S. Rep. Margaret Heckler of Massachusetts, who recently confessed she has had her eyes opened about farming in America.

Ms. Heckler accepted an invitation from a midwest colleague, Rep. Keith Sebelius, to spend a weekend on a Kansas farm, so she could better handle her assignment on the House Agriculture Committee.

Ms. Heckler admitted she was a bit surprised at what she found.

"I knew there were wheat farmers, but

I expected to see some chickens, expected to see a front porch with rocking chairs," she said, "and lo and behold, we went into this beautiful farmhouse...that was as sophisticated as anything you will see in Boston."

The Kansas farmhouse even displayed a few pieces of art and sculpture and things like that, which surprised Ms. Heckler, too.

As I said, if it wasn't so serious, it would be funny. Here's a member of Congress of the United States who is surprised that American farmers don't all live like the stereotypical farm families from someone's imagination—the Joad family, or Jeeter Lester, or the Hee-Haw crew.

Most of the plumbing is indoor's now, and there's electricity and television and telephones, and precious little sitting-and-a-rocking anymore. More power to Ms. Heckler for going to explore, and more important, for admitting to a changed view. It should help.

The sad part of the story is that Ms. Heckler is not so different from many hidebound easterners who think civilization stops on the western bank of the Hudson river. Since many of our economic, social and governmental decisions are fashioned in the eastern (to us) citadels of New York and Washington, such myopia is serious business.

Here are some statistics to dazzle the mind, culled from recent news items:

—The federal government reports that 26 federal agencies have spent \$816,700 in the last four years buying and maintaining indoor plants for their offices.

—The New York State Electric and Gas Co. in its annual report listed "taxes per share of common stock" at \$2.78 for last year, that's 32 cents more than earnings per share.

—The Tax Foundation reports that total public debt—that's gross indebtedness of federal, state and local governments—passed the trillion dollar mark in 1978, and now amounts to \$4,811 for each person in the United States. No further comment needed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to the Timberview staff, Drs. Burkley and Dosch, the emergency room doctor and staff, and Derek McEvers.

A special thank you to Rev. George Spencer for his fine service and comforting words.

Thanks also to our neighbors and friends, who were so kind to us during this time of sorrow.

The Family of Dorothy Wakeley.



MERCY HOSPITAL RADIO-THON AUCTION UPDATE—Ted Keusch of Grayling was the high bidder for one hand full of loose quarters that were donated by Roscommon State Bank for the recently held Mercy Hospital Radio-Thon Auction. Roscommon State Bank Cashier, Don Gardey, looks on as Keusch scoops \$54 dollars worth of quarters which after payment for his bid made him a little bit richer.

Grayling Art Show

The Annual Grayling Art Show will be held Saturday, August 4th from 10:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. It will be on the sidewalk in front of the Grayling State Bank.

Judges will pick the winners and the Grayling State Bank has donated cash prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd, as well as a gold certificate to be given to everyone who enters the show.

Your material for the Art Show should be ready for hanging and brought in between 9:00 and 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning and picked up shortly after 4:30 in the afternoon.

Each person may enter as many as 5 pieces of art work. If you have an exhibit elsewhere in the Milltown Arts and Crafts Show, you are asked not to enter the Grayling Art Show with part of that exhibit.

The judges will be Mr. C.E. Whipps of Lewiston and Mrs. Connie VanDeVen, who had a studio on Big Creek. Both are well known artists in their areas.

Strolling Around Town

Noted especially this week is the planter, rocks and crushed rocks decorating the front of the A & W curbs. Also along the business loop, the Mobil Station has planted petunias and even a few are planted up near the bridge. After what seems a slow start, many of the curb plantings are beginning to be more colorful. Further south on the loop, the grass has all been trimmed along the golf club fence and some on the rail right-of-way. It all adds up to a good impression for drivers coming into town.

Throughout the city there are signs of improvements, the Clinic is getting a new roof, the Ed Harris home on Park Street has been remodeled, the Whaley home on Michigan Ave. has a new cement drive and flowers along the fence, the Les Hunter home and garage on Park Street has a fresh coat of paint, and the Toc Ockerman home, former Henry Bradley home, is undergoing extensive remodeling and windows and doors outside have fresh paint. The Carlson home and Mike Campbell apartment have done some unusual plantings and the Hale home, also on Chestnut Street has many flowers. Mrs. Nelson on Lake and Chestnut has her unusual planter out again. Do you know what it is, folks?

We've been invited to tour the Ernie Larson back yard on Ole Dam Road to see the beautiful flowers!



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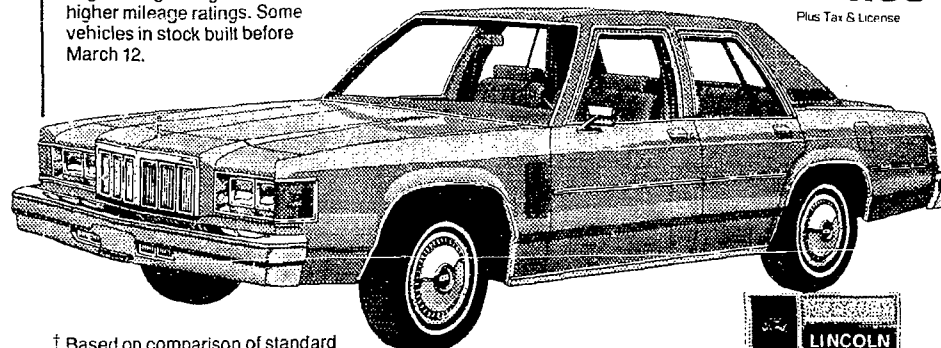
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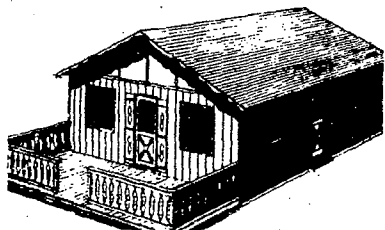
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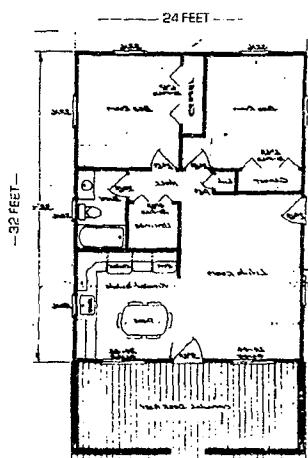


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Sen. Irwin Installs "Hot Line"

State Senator Mitch Irwin (D-Sault Ste. Marie) today announced the establishment of a toll-free "Hot Line" designed to make state government more accessible and responsive to the people of

northern Michigan.

"I have consistently pledged to provide the best public service possible," said Irwin. "This 'Hot Line' will help fulfill that commitment. I am pleased that the Michigan Senate has been able to install this toll-free line as a public service to the citizens of Michigan."

Aside from calling Senator Irwin's regular telephone (517/373-1725), constituents calling the toll-free number 1-800-292-5893 can leave a message for Senator Irwin with the Secretary of the Senate's office. Phone calls received between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, will be forwarded to Senator Irwin's office.

"This new Hot Line will provide the residents of the 37th Senatorial District with a simple and economical method of contacting me about any state government issue," said Irwin. "If you have a question about legislation, need help in cutting through bureaucratic 'red tape,' or want to voice an opinion, call the toll-free 'Hot Line' at 1-800-292-5893 and your message will receive prompt attention."

"If you have any problems or questions regarding state government, I want to help," Irwin said. "All person in northern Michigan should take advantage of this opportunity to get in touch with me. By using the 'Hot Line,' you can make your voice heard in the legislative process and help make our government more responsive."

Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendrickson of Alpena are spending a few days visiting the Dave Englund's and the Carl Bartell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Melin and Karen of Grand Blanc are visiting the Charles Ficks. Guests of the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gross of Sanford and Richard and Jill Boyd and Susan of Swartz Creek. Susan is spending the week with her grandparents. Her parents will pick her up this weekend and continue on north to go camping.

Postal Service Offers Tips For Mailing Film

A little extra care when mailing film for processing could mean the difference in preserving the memories of your summer vacation. Postmaster Jim Baker advised today.

"Thousands of film packages end up in dead letter offices throughout the country each year," Postmaster Baker said, "just because the film package was wrapped and addressed carelessly."

He offered the following tips for mailing film:

—Put the film in a sturdy envelope, and when possible use envelopes supplied by a film processing company.

—Write the film processor's mailing address, return address and ZIP Code legibly on the outside of the envelope.

—Tape you name and address to the film roll or cartridge before putting it in the envelope, and put your name and address on the back of any photographs being sent for copying, retouching or other purposes.

District Court

The following appeared in 83rd District Court last week:

Conrad Simmons, 21, Gary, Indiana, pled nolo contendere to a charge of larceny under \$100 and was sentenced to 38 days in jail and \$50 in costs.

Lloyd J. Libby, of Sault Ste. Marie, pled guilty to a charge of reckless driving and was fined \$150.

Jack N. Brown, 35, Indianapolis, Ind., pled guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$185 or 14 days in jail.

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Grayling Little League All-Star Lose Opener

The 11 and 12 year old Grayling Little League All-Star team's hopes for the district championship were cut short on their opening game at East Jordan last Thursday night, losing to Boyne City 4-1. The game was a defensive stalemate until Boyne City came across with a single run in the 4th inning and three more in the 5th. Grayling produced its only run in the game in the 6th inning in what appeared to be a come-from-behind rally, but it was not to be.

Doing an excellent pitching job for Grayling was Barsie Cross, striking out eight batters, walking five, allowing four runs on only three hits. Several bunt attempts were made, but by the time the Boyne City batter could level the bat over the plate, Cross' fast ball was in the catchers glove. Big bats for Grayling include singles by Jim Stewart and Jon Nicholas, and a pair of singles for Barsie Cross.

Boyer City had some fine pitching of their own behind the arm of Ray Burrows who struck out 10 batters, walking three, allowing one run on 4 hits. The sticks for Boyne City were Ray Burrows with a double and Mike Carron with a single and a triple.

After the game, several parents made the comment that the Grayling team performed extremely well, and in the coaching Staff's opinion—it was just that. A well played game.

Although out of the tournament picture, the All-Star team from Three Rivers, Michigan will play a double header scrimmage beginning at 5:00 p.m. at Millikin's field. On Saturday, the Three Rivers team will go canoeing down the AuSable river, and leave for home on Sunday afternoon.

During the weekend of August 10, 11 and 12, the Grayling All-Star team will pay a return visit to Three Rivers and play a double-header scrimmage, beginning at 6:00 p.m. with the second game being played under the lights. On Saturday, both teams will visit the Great America Amusement Park for a fun-filled day.

The Grayling team will return back home on Sunday evening.

Anyone wishing to donate to the Grayling All-Star team to help cover expenses may do so by contacting SSG Mike Shearer at 348-7621 ext. 253 or at 348-2083.

All donations will be greatly appreciated.

Art Show at Lewiston

The 7th Annual Summer Outdoor Handicraft and Art Fair to be held in the Village Square in the center of Lewiston, Saturday, August 4, from 10:00 a.m. till 4:30 p.m.

Anyone who is an Artist or a Craftsman is welcome to come display and sell their crafts and artwork. Artists and Craftsman are encouraged to not only display their work, but demonstrate how they work.

If you wish to take part please contact the Art Fair Chairperson at 786-4041, or the Lewiston Area Chamber of Commerce at 786-2293 for further information.

Everyone is welcome to come view the work of these artists and browse among their wares.

See you in Lewiston, Saturday, August 4, in the Village Square, for the 7th Annual Summer Outdoor Handicraft and Art Fair, from 10:00 a.m. till 4:30 p.m.

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Camp Shawono Activities

Camp Shawono C.A.A.C. meeting held Tuesday, July 10, 1979. Present: Darlene Rowan, Dick Wieber, Carol Wieber, Bruce Haines, and Randy, Mike, Ken, Bill and Darron from the camp council. Minutes of the June meeting were read and accepted.

Mr. Haines gave the statistics for June. 11 new boys received, 11 released, with the average length of stay at 7.25 months. There were 4 truancies, 15 from camp and 3 from off-grounds. 5 were returned within 6 hours. 3 boys passed their GED test.

The boys reported that morale in camp was fair, considering that so many old boys had left and so many new ones arriving during the same month.

Mr. Haines presented a catalog for everyone to view which Mr. Funk from the 4-H program had given him to study for possible program suggestions to use at camp. It was reported that Mr. Funk had been on the radio station WGRY asking for volunteers to help at the camp. Several projects were discussed and will be gone into further with Mr. Funk at a later date.

Mr. Haines announced the hiring of 2 new staff to replace Mr. Kwaizer and Mr. Yeazel. Mr. Trowbridge (replacing Kwaizer) will be starting July 22nd, and Mr. Pomeroy (replacing Mr. Yeazel) will be starting August 5th. Both are transferring here from Adrian Training School.

Mr. Haines told the council that the boys have been going on frequent canoe trips lately during the evenings. The boys also requested that some softball teams from town come out to play.

Mr. Haines said there was to be a meeting with Mr. Bob Smock and some other men from his committee to work on the possibility of interaction between Camp Lehigh inmates and campers on a one-to-one basis regarding life in an adult prison, etc.

A local photographer, Mr. Doug Wonders, has been out to camp instructing Mr. Croze regarding the teaching of a photography class to the campers. This will be starting soon.

The boys suggested a possible further off-ground activity, such as horseback riding, which was discussed and will be followed up, regarding cost, etc.

Mr. Haines announced the new ruling regarding GED testing which the local high school has received from the state. The new rule is that the persons have to be 17 or out of school for 1 year before they are eligible to test. This will curtail our GED program quite a bit. We can start the boys on preparation at 16½ and then let them get the testing done on their own after they leave camp. This might be the opening of a higher percentage of boys working towards earning high school credits here at camp, especially after the new teacher starts in October of this year. There will also be additional vocational training courses. As most of the boys in camp are under 17, this new ruling will cut our GED program approximately in half.

The next meeting will be held on August 14, 1979. Please Note Date!



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State Boundary Commission to conduct Public Hearing on the proposed annexation (Docket No. 79-AR-9) of certain territory situated in Section 17, Grayling Township, Crawford County, to the City of Grayling, August 10, 1979.

2:30 p.m. hearing will be held in the - Basement Meeting Room, Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan

To comply with Section 8 of Act 191 of the Public Acts of 1968, as amended, being Section 123.1008 of the Compiled Laws of 1970, and Section 9(2) of Act 219 of the Public Acts of 1970, the State Boundary Commission will hold a public hearing on the proposed annexation of certain territory, (copies of the map and legal description can be obtained by writing the Boundary Commission) situated in Grayling Township, Crawford County, to the City of Grayling, and will receive information and testimony on the following:

CRITERIA AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 9 OF THE ACT

1. Population;
2. Population density;
3. Land area;
4. Land uses;
5. Assessed valuation;
6. Topography;
7. Natural boundaries and drainage basins;
8. The past and probable future urban growth, including population increase and business, commercial and industrial development in the area;
9. Comparative data for the annexing municipality, and the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached shall be considered;
10. Need for organized community services;
11. The present cost and adequacy of governmental services in the area to be annexed;
12. The probable future needs for services;
13. The practicability of supplying such services in the area to be annexed;
14. The probable effect of the proposed annexation and of alternative courses of action on the cost and adequacy of services in the area to be annexed and on the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached;
15. The probable increase in taxes in the area to be annexed in relation to the benefits expected to accrue from annexation;
16. The financial ability of the annexing municipality to maintain urban type services in the area;
17. The general effect upon the entire community of the proposed action; and
18. The relationship of the proposed action to any established city, village, township, county or regional land use plan.

NOTE: In addition to the above, any person having information relative to the Environmental Impact of the proposed annexation should present this data as part of the public hearing.

The Boundary Commission will not reach any conclusions or make any determination until after the August 10, 1979 public hearing. The Commission has several options. They can deny the petition, approve it as submitted, or approve it with boundary adjustments. Such boundary adjustments could remove land and thereby contract the area to be annexed or add additional lands to those described in the petition thus expanding the area to be annexed. Boundary Commission official minutes are stored and available for inspection at 3222 South Logan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Commission phone is 517-373-3234.

STATE BOUNDARY COMMISSION

By: James S. Hyde
Executive Secretary

O.E.S. News

Grayling Chapter No. 83 was honored by a visit of the Cheney-Robinson Grand Family of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan on Friday, June 29, 1979, at the Masonic Temple in Grayling.

Chapter was opened upstairs at 2:30 p.m. in the afternoon and then recessed.

At 6:00 p.m. a delicious chicken dinner was served downstairs to 169 guests. Mistress of Ceremonies for the dinner was Irene Peterson. Lillian Houghton, the Worthy Matron of Grayling Chapter No. 83, gave the Welcome. The Response was given by Janet Cheney, Worthy Grand Matron of Michigan. Norma Johnston, Grand Chaplain, gave the Invocation.

After the dinner a 50 Year Certificate was presented to Marge Haugh. Also receiving Certificates but not present were Grace Andrews, Helen Clippert, and Georgetta Schaible. Also, the Worthy Grand Matron, Janet Cheney, presented the Worthy Matron, Lillian Houghton, with a 35 year Life Membership in Grayling Chapter No. 83.

Chapter was reopened upstairs at 8 p.m. There were many Grand Chapter Officers present, as well as Grand Committee Members, and Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons from other chapters. The sidelines were completely full of people. Introductions of honored guests were given. Then the Grayling officers retired. The Grand Committee Members assumed their chairs and put on an Initiatory Program.

The Grayling officers reassumed their stations and Chapter was closed. Following the closing, a very humorous skit was presented by Dottie Williamson, P.M., entitled, "Everybody Loves a Baby."

Following this, everybody retired to the dining room downstairs for punch and cookies. This visit was a very formal affair attended by many people from all over Michigan.

Robert Houghton
Publicity Chairman

English Language

The English language contains about 490,000 words — plus another 300,000 technical terms. That represents the most words in any language, but it is doubtful if any individual uses more than 60,000.

Editor's Mailbox

Editor
Crawford Co. Avalanche
Grayling, Mich.

Dear Sir:

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation of the efforts extended by the Volunteer Ambulance Corps on July 10, 1979, when at approximately 4:00 A.M. they were summoned to the Lake Margrethe home of William H. Rifkin.

Unfortunately, he died on that date but their efforts were extremely well directed and very sincerely appreciated.

Very truly yours,
James M. Rifkin

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Ruth Burnett wish to express their thanks and gratitude to their many friends and neighbors for all of the kindness, extended to them during the loss of their dear wife and mother. It is impossible to name each one but we do want to especially thank Rev. Otis Smith for his comforting words as well as the VFW Aux. 4159 for the delicious dinner served following the service.

Harvey Burnett & family

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On May 6, 1979, Henry Ford Auditorium was the site of the University of Detroit School of Dentistry graduation.

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- TAURUS** If, for any reason, this week is not productive in emotional satisfaction — why? You did a good job upsetting your associates.
- GEMINI** It would be a good idea to take pen in hand, or at the very least, give a good friend a... phone call.
- MOONCHILD** It seems an associate has become quite a nuisance. Forget about encouraging future plans.
- LEO** Many members of your sign are thinking in terms of June 21-July 22 of contacting someone that should be forgotten.
- VIRGO** Be humble, don't expect nourishment for your Aug. 23-Sept. 22 ego, even though you will be the center of attraction.
- LIBRA** Your worst enemy is even going to admit that your appearance has changed for the better. Keep it up.
- SCORPIO** Beware of the company you keep! You'll do traffic with some one who is involved in, rather, shady activities.
- SAGITTARIUS** A broken promise shows in your chart. Stand by Nov. 22-Dec. 21 for a possible disappointment from an unexpected source.
- CAPRICORN** Keep an envious associate at arms length. This Dec. 22-Jan. 19 cosmic cycle is most certainly not in keeping with trust.
- AQUARIUS** You are much, much, too concerned about the future. As a result, you are neglecting tasks at hand!
- PISCES** Your present strong desire for communication Feb. 19-Mar. 20 will be long gone, when you receive your inflated phone bill.

Road Commission Minutes

July 6, 1979

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Richter presiding. Present were: Chairman, Ervin E. Richter; Commissioners Grover Cason and Gloria Kraus; Manager, Charles Fox; Engineer, Ron Herneke and Secretary, Lorna Bernard. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. Grover Cason made a motion to accept the minutes with corrections, seconded by Ervin Richter, all voted in favor, minutes approved.

A discussion was held on the certificates of deposit that are maturing July 8, 1979. The Board instructed the County Treasurer to deposit \$100,000. in money certificates for six months, the balance to go into savings.

Ron Herneke, Engineer, reported to the Board on the proposed office addition, the Michigan Dept. of Labor has requested some changes in design to meet State Construction codes. Engineer Herneke was directed to make these changes.

Manager Fox reported to the Board that both brine wells are out of production. The Beaver Creek well is expected to be repaired sometime this week.

Engineer Herneke discussed preliminary plans on Pere Cheney and Stephan Bridge Road. He recommended a title search to determine property owners along these projects. Attorney Dosson was authorized to proceed with the title searches.

Marty Vanderveen appeared before the Board with a request from the Archery Club to rent a county mower and operator for use at Hanson Hills for an Archery Meet. The Board suggested that he contact a private contractor due to the fact our equipment and operator are needed.

The Board directed Manager Fox to enlarge the present office parking lot to the north.

Correct the minutes of June 29, 1979 regarding Jerry Annis return to work; if the union would agree that it was the Commission's right to decide if an employee could return to work under Doctor's Restrictions. Manager Fox discussed this with the Union Steward and it was agreeable with him.

Also corrected, Clyde Anthony was appointed as Safety Director. Correct the minutes of June 15, 1979 regarding Tom Brooks date for Leave of Absence to June 21-29, 1979.

A joint meeting was held with Otsego County at 1:00 p.m. at Gaylord. The possibility of having a weighmaster to serve Otsego and Crawford County was discussed. It was determined that Manager Fox would meet with Engr. Migr. Bowers to determine costs of such a position and report back to their respective Boards.

The Board approved a request by Grayling Township and Jack Millikin, Inc. to install concrete driveways on North Down River Road in Section 5 of Grayling Township.

The Board approved the date of July 27, 1979 for a public hearing on the abandonment of a portion of Right of Way along Airport Road in Grayling Township. The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Grayling City Building.

The Board approved the name of the North Red Head Lane for the county road going north from North Down River Road in Section 36, T2N, R3W, Grayling Township under this authority of County Road Law, Public and Local Road Acts-part of paragraph 224.18 as follows:

"Immediately after the laying out or taking control of a road said board shall give the same a name and the board may thereafter change the name of said road if deemed necessary by said board in order to conform to a general plan or avoid confusion or duplication. The name so given by said board to any road under its jurisdiction, either originally or in case of a change as provided for in this section, shall thereafter be the official name by which said road shall be known. Said board is also empowered to enter into agreements with the board of county road commissioners in any adjoining county with reference to the laying out, maintenance, construction and improvement of inter-county roads."

The Board recommended that Manager Fox and Engineer Herneke consult with Grayling Township Supervisor, Bernie Fowler, on the plans for Stephan Bridge Road. There being no further business, a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ervin E. Richter, Chairman
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The base gates will be open to the public from 10:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. and the public is cordially invited to this annual event. The base is located on highway F-41 approximately two miles from Oscoda.

Project Officer Maj. Pat Caruana stated that this year's show "has a real good cross-section of military aircraft coming with the Air Force, Navy, and Coast Guard sending a variety of equipment for the show."

Caruana explained that in addition to the planes already committed to being on hand for visitors to look at (static display aircraft), other units are beginning to call him and request spots for this year's event.

In addition to the Navy Seal team parachuting outfit known as the "Chuting Stars," and aerial demonstrations by Wurtsmith's own B-52 bombers and KC-135 tankers, a flight of A-37 jets is also tentatively scheduled to provide an exciting demonstration of close-air support.

News of Good
Things Growing...

Steaming hot Michigan corn-on-the-cob with fresh melted Michigan butter is a perfect picnic treat for summer outings. For a different corn taste, try serving with a cheddar cheese spread, sour cream and chives or make sweet corn and bacon hot cakes.

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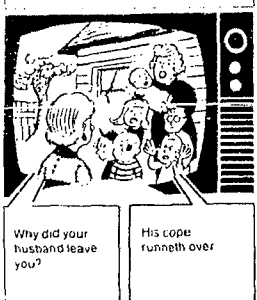
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Fresh sweet corn's good flavor is quickly lost after it's picked, because its high sugar content turns to starch as ears mature. To help keep the flavor, leave husks on and refrigerate until it is to be cooked.

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On a clear day when you turn into a dual-highway you know well, the "wrong way" sign may seem superfluous. Yet, for the stranger who doesn't know the area, when visibility is limited or driving conditions poor—that sign may avert a head-on collision.

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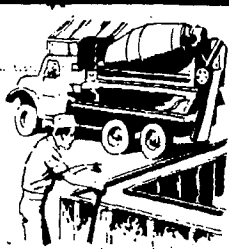
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by Fay Bovee

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Prizes for golf went to Gaylord's Nancy Fisher for low putts of 18 and Milly Hancock for low gross of 44; Nancy Fisher came in with a low gross of 43. For Grayling, low putts went to Shirley Bendig with a low of 11 and to our veteran of many wins, Corrine Smith, with a 42. Although Nancy Fisher also had the longest drive on number 4, the prize was awarded to runner-up, Mary Jane Knibbs, and for the shortest drive on number 6 to Bertha Trombley of Gaylord. There were many chip-ins: Joan Wiljanen, Rose Bodner of Gaylord; and Marge Hildebrand, Mary Pettengill, Shirley Bendig and Gloria Nielson with two, all from Grayling.

Following a delectable lunch of Bonnie's Salad, rolls, relishes, and chocolate torte, about 40 door prizes were awarded. The lunch tables were decorated with miniature golf bags made of fabric with summer flowers protruding from the bags. It was an especially good day with good weather, some good rounds, and a most enjoyable afternoon of getting acquainted again.

Jeannette Kitchen was in charge of morning coffee and doughnuts. Eddie Blaha was chairman of the lunch committee, aided by Evelyn Sager, Mabel Gothro, Ruth Nielson, Jean Dopp, Mary Pettengill, Peri Griffith, Elsie Jansen, Nancy Hoffman, and June Schwarz. Ann DuBois was aided by Mary Jane Knibbs, Marian Joseph, and Mary Sidwell with table decorations and door prizes. Fay Bovee, Mabel Gothro, and Donna Denton handled the golf prizes.

Frederic Community Library

These new books have been added to our large selection of books at the library, "Return to Win-dhaven" by Marie DeJouret and "Island" by Peter Benchley.

Our new summer library hours are Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

We have a new Assistant Librarian Goldie Plutko and Library Aide Londa Perkins. They will be on hand to help you along with our Librarian Barbara Verlinde.

Be sure to visit our Library, which is located in the Frederic Town Hall. The phone number is 348-8778.

Merna Newberry

La Leche League Meeting Notice

"The Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Baby" will be the topic for discussion at the August meeting of Roscommon La Leche League. This is the first in a series of four discussion meetings. The meeting will be held on Thursday, August 2 at 7:30 p.m. at West 72, Grayling. The meeting discussions include the latest medical research, as well as personal experience.

La Leche League tells a simple story about a simple, natural function. Emphasizing the joys of breastfeeding, it is designed to encourage and inform mothers who desire to nurse their babies.

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Lovells Guild

The Lovells Chapel Guild met July 11, at the Ladies Clubhouse with ten members and three guests present.

Margaret Douglas and Ruth Caid were our hostesses for the meeting.

After a lovely potluck lunch a business meeting was held.

Plans are being made for our annual Lovells Chapel Guild tea and Bake Sale to be held August 18 at the Ladies Clubhouse from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., all are welcome.

Mildred Johnson was in charge of Devotion using First and Second Peter.

Our next meeting will be August 1st with Imilda Stahl as Hostess. Please if unable to attend let our hostess know. All our welcome.

Sec'y Jerri Coulter

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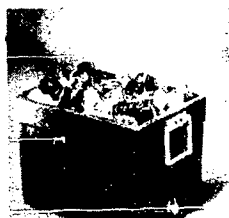
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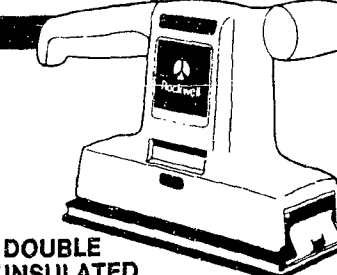
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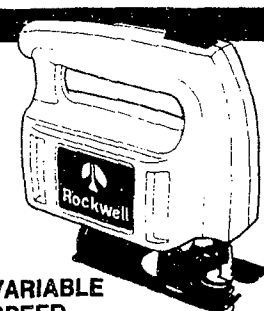
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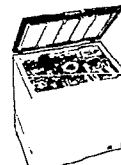
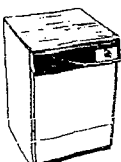
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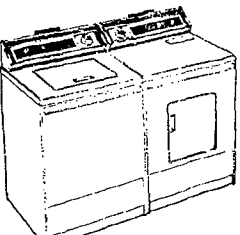
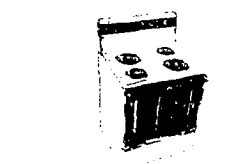
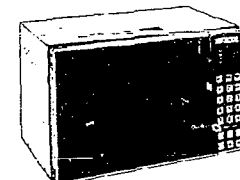
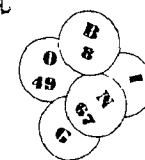
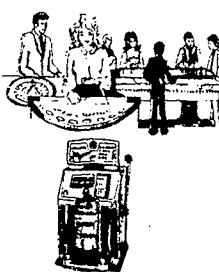
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To the Editor,
Would you please publish this copy of a letter I have written to Senator John Kelly of Detroit and Lansing, as follows.

I have before me a copy of the Open Forum letter To The Editor you wrote, and was published in The Evening News, Sault Ste. Marie, Mi., on June 13, 1979. Your letter was a very gallant, loyal defense of Senator Mitch Irwin's position on Sunset Legislation now in the Senate. I didn't take any offense regarding Irwin's stand or your defense. I make no priase or criticism on that matter. However I did take offense to your referral as to what you feel the news media should be used for, and your referral to the public's ignorance of the workings of the legislature, and it's process.

I called a friend of mine in Lansing and came up with some very interesting facts of my own. I'm glad you made the following statement for it tells me you won't mind if I mention some of them. Your letter contained this line. "But it saddened me to observe this type of blatant mud-slinging through the media, which should be used to report facts and offer opinions to the public, not to mislead it."

Your yes vote in the Senate on the "Wetlands Protection Act" is one of the facts I speak of. You are from Detroit sir and I for one cannot remember one article in the Detroit Papers stating anything you may have said to explain the methods that will be used to Administer the Wetlands Act. You sir, have had every opportunity to tell your constituents about the fines, and many other facts not covered by the misleading statement used by the media, that simply reminds the people of a need to protect Wetlands for Wildlife, Posterity, and so on. You sir, have had every opportunity to tell the people of The State of Michigan that the DNR will have to open a whole new can of bureaucrats to administer the Wetlands Act, if it passes. The House of Representatives is using a figure of 500 or more additional personal in the DNR, they will need cars, secretaries, regional offices, and so on, and so on. We may be a bit ignorant about the workings of legislature sir, but we are not completely stupid.

The recent release by Governor Milliken proposing a 100 Million Dollar cut in the State budget would take about Five Million from State Medicaid alone, but not one inch of print was used to tell us where the money would come from to give to Howard Tanner for his Departments supervision of our private property. I shudder to think of how much of the afore mentioned 100 Million it will take.

Sincerely,
Donald J. Arbie, Chairman
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Public Notice

Frederic Township Board Meetings

As required by the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act 1976 PA 267 the Frederic Township Board hereby list and post the dates, times and places of all its regular meetings during the 1979-1980 fiscal year as follows:

1. All regular meetings will be held at the Frederic Township Hall, located at 7564 Kelly Avenue, Frederic, Michigan.
2. All regular meetings will be held the second Tuesday of each month and will commence promptly at 7:30 P.M. on the following dates: July 10, 1979; August 14, 1979; September 11, 1979; October 9, 1979; November 13, 1979; December 11, 1979; January 8, 1980; February 12, 1980; March 11, 1980; April 9, 1980; May 13, 1980; June 10, 1980.
- Annual Settlement Day—June 16, 1980
- Annual Meeting—June 28, 1980

Mildred Harmer
Frederic Township Clerk

Notice of Public Sale

To Whom it may Concern: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to a Decree of Foreclosure entered by the Hon. E. Patrick Murray, Acting Circuit Judge for Crawford County, Michigan, on July 9, 1979, the following described parcels of real estate will be sold at public sale by the Sheriff of Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, at 2 p.m. on Friday, August 31, 1979:

A. Lots 43, 107, 155, 156, 166, 171, 202, 216 and 217 in Plat of Warbler's Hideaway, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 12, Crawford County Records;

B. Lots 303 and 345 in Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 2, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 17, Crawford County Records;

C. Lot 449 in Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 3, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 18, Crawford County Records;

D. Lots 497 and 599 in Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 4, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 24, Crawford County Records;

E. Lots 54, 65 and 94 in Plat of Creekview No. 2, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 22, Crawford County Records;

F. Lots 135 and 142 in Plat of Northern Heights, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 27, Crawford County Records;

G. Lot 394 in Plat of Northern Heights No. 3, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 38, Crawford County Records;

Lots will be sold "as is" and without any representation as to marketability of title and/or obligation to pay delinquent taxes.
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Warner, Hart, Morgan, Fuzak & Williams
By Ronald G. Morgan
Attorneys for
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the District Court for
The County of Crawford
Harold M. Goudie, Plaintiff,
vs.
James Goudie and Joyce E. Goudie, husband and wife,
Defendants.

File No. LT 79 020
ORDER TO ANSWER
An Affidavit filed in this cause, pursuant to DCR 106, for service of process by publication upon defendants, James and Joyce E. Goudie having been filed, the court finds that service of process by publication provided under DCR 754.3 (c) is necessary as the whereabouts of the defendants and their residence is unknown; that the defendants probably reside outside of the county; and that a summons and complaint has been returned showing that service of process cannot be made in the county where the defendants previously resided.

NOW, THEREFORE, the defendants James Goudie and Joyce E. Goudie, are hereby notified that a civil action has been commenced against them for forfeiture of a certain land contract dated October 11, 1977 between the parties hereto for the following described property to wit:

Township of Frederic, County of Crawford State of Michigan, The East 1/2 of the S 1/4 of lot 5 and the East 1/2 of lot 6, both of Block F of the Village of Frederic, ALSO known as 7448 McRae St. Frederic, Mich. 49733

And that, if you desire to defend, same, you are required to answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law with regard to the complaint filed against you in the District Court for the County of Crawford on or before August 7, 1979 at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, if you fail to do so, judgement by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.
Dated: July 10, 1979

I, Hereby, Certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original thereof on file in this office, 83rd District Court By, Deputy Clerk
Carol Conklin
Honorable Francis L. Walsh
-19-26-2-

Notice of Public Sale

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They also do adults and families, no charge—no obligations. Sponsored by the Crawford County Avalanche.

Par For The Course

by Fay Bovee

On July 16, the Monday golfers made their rounds, some in the morning and some in the evening with first year golfer, Marilyn Reed, chipping in on number 8. Low putts went to Carolyn Glaza with 13, high putts, to Carolyn DiPonio and the fun holes of 1, 2, 8, 9, were won by Betty Layman for low and Charlotte Radzwion for high. Dottie Brady came in with the low round of 45.

Dean's List

Sault Ste. Marie—Students from this area who were included on the Lake Superior State College dean's list for the term recently ended are: Deborah Bollman and Lori Donaldson of Grayling.

To be so listed a student must have earned a 3.50 grade point average or better. An "A" is 4.00.

Correction For Class of '69

Regarding the 1969 reunion there was a misprint on the invitations. The price for the tickets is now \$12.50 per couple and \$6.25 per person.

Please send your responses in as soon as possible to: Penny Shepherd, 501 Peninsular, Grayling, Michigan 49738, or call her at 348-8759 for more information.

Business Back To Normal at Playhouse

After a slow start ticket sales at the Cherry County Playhouse are up over previous years. The Traverse City Theatre, currently in its twenty-fifth year of production, recorded a five percent drop in business from 1978 during the first week of operation this year. Since then the box office has reported a steady increase in sales.

At the end of the third week of the season business had increased thirty eight percent for an overall increase of twelve percent from 1978 sales. Improved weather conditions and adequate supplies of gasoline are considered as major factors contributing to the improvement.

Puppets in for Children's Show

The Cherry County Junior Players take a break this week as the Cherry County Playhouse brings in the marvelous Stevens Puppets to entertain the little ones on Friday, July 27th.

The Stevens Puppets will present the classic tale of Sherwood Forest "Robin Hood". There will be two performances of this special event at 10:30 a.m. and 11:45 a.m.

Tickets are \$1.00 and are available at the door, no reservations are necessary.

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Mercy Hospital

The following are among those admitted to Mercy Hospital during the past week: Lucille Hiveley, Randy Shaw and Roger Kneff all of Grayling; Edith Breckow, Karen Cooper and Jack Schor-nack all of Frederic; Jessie Shirey and Francis Waterman of Roscommon.

Those discharged: Lucille Hiveley, Norman Schmoock, and Randy Shaw all of Grayling; Anna Newberry of Frederic; Margaret Hartman, Diane Larson and Phyllis Jerome all of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bugg, of Mio, are the proud parents of a baby boy, Chad Everette, born on July 18, 1979. The little boy weighed 8 lbs. 14½ ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Saxton of Grayling, are the proud parents of a baby boy, Travis Ray, born on July 18, 1979. The little fellow weighed 6 lbs. 14½ ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper of Frederic, are the parents of a baby boy, Michael Charles, born on July 20, 1979. The little boy weighed 7 lbs. 2½ ozs.

On Kirtland's Deans List

The following students have been named to the President's Honor List for the Winter, 1979, semester at Kirtland Community College: James M. Dehlin and Karl Kersch, Roscommon; Jose M. Herrera, Grayling; Nina Kusey and Dale Wing, Mio; and Elden Teall, Hale.

Also named to this list are: Jeanette Barnes, Mario Bucco, Rita Crittenden, Chris Dittenbir, Don Elliott, Franklyn McClure, and Max Martin.

Students must maintain a 4.0 grade point average throughout the entire semester to be named to the President's list.

OBITUARY

Services Held For Grace Sauter, 67

Services were held for Grace F. Sauter, 67, of Grayling, on July 24th at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Weber officiating. She passed away on July 21 at Mercy Hospital. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Sauter was born on Aug. 10, 1911 in Chicago. She moved to Grayling in 1971, from Detroit. She was a homemaker and an AARP Volunteer.

She is survived by her husband Rudolph; a son Stephen of Grayling; a daughter Mrs. Sally MacDonald of Capac, Michigan; her mother Mrs. Anna Gantzer of Tulsa, Ok.; a brother Jack Ericsson of Tulsa; a sister Mrs. James Smith of Chicago; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Clifford Martin, Alfred Weirg, Arnold Bader, Frank Berlek, Ralph Klann and Don Welser.

K of C News

The Knights of Columbus Council 1982 Grayling.

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State Boundary Commission to conduct Public Hearing on the proposed annexation (Docket No. 79-AR-8) of certain territory situated in Section 8, Grayling Township, Crawford County, to the City of Grayling, August 10, 1979.

1:30 p.m. hearing will be held in the Basement Meeting Room, Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan

To comply with Section 8 of Act 191 of the Public Acts of 1968, as amended, being Section 123.1008 of the Compiled Laws of 1970, and Section 9(2) of Act 219 of the Public Acts of 1970, the State Boundary Commission will hold a public hearing on the proposed annexation of certain territory, (copies of the map and legal description can be obtained by writing the Boundary Commission) situated in Grayling Township, Crawford County, to the City of Grayling, and will receive information and testimony on the following:

CRITERIA AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 9 OF THE ACT

1. Population;
2. Population density;
3. Land area;
4. Land uses;
5. Assessed valuation;
6. Topography;
7. Natural boundaries and drainage basins;
8. The past and probable future urban growth, including population increase and business, commercial and industrial development in the area;
9. Comparative data for the annexing municipality, and the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached shall be considered;
10. Need for organized community services;
11. The present cost and adequacy of governmental services in the area to be annexed;
12. The probable future needs for services;
13. The practicability of supplying such services in the area to be annexed;
14. The probable effect of the proposed annexation and of alternative courses of action on the cost and adequacy of services in the area to be annexed and on the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached;
15. The probable increase in taxes in the area to be annexed in relation to the benefits expected to accrue from annexation;
16. The financial ability of the annexing municipality to maintain urban type services in the area;
17. The general effect upon the entire community of the proposed action; and
18. The relationship of the proposed action to any established city, village, township, county or regional land use plan.

NOTE: In addition to the above, any person having information relative to the Environmental Impact of the proposed annexation should present this data as part of the public hearing.

The Boundary Commission will not reach any conclusions or make any determination until after the August 10, 1979 public hearing. The Commission has several options. They can deny the petition, approve it as submitted, or approve it with boundary adjustments. Such boundary adjustments could remove land and thereby contract the area to be annexed or add additional lands to those described in the petition thus expanding the area to be annexed. Boundary Commission official minutes are stored and available for inspection at 3222 South Logan Street, Lansing, Mi. Commission phone is 517-373-3234.

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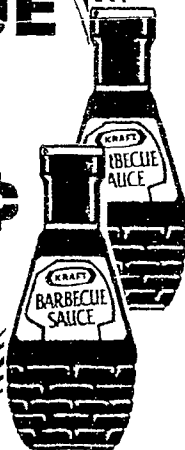
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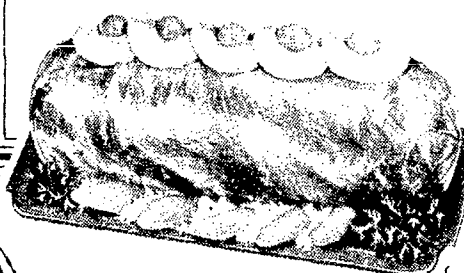
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16 Crawford County Avalanche Thursday, July 26, 1979

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Team	Canoe No.
1 Matt McGuire Grayling	87
2 Steve Krantz Tawas, Mi	76
3 Brett Stockton Grayling	20
4 Fritz Langpeter Windsor, Ontario	7
5 Ted McCabe LaSalle, Ontario	81
6 Mike Laing Amherstburg, Ontario	119
7 Paul Short South Branch, Mi	26
8 Tony Short South Branch, Mi	28
9 Clair Moore Alpena, Mi	5
10 Dennis Tyson Alpena, Mi	79
11 Rick Ensley Mt. Clemens, Mi	34
12 George Sarosy New Baltimore, Mi	4
13 Mark Kolka Grayling	21
14 Bill Kellogg, Jr. Grayling	77
15 Allen Carr, Jr. Grayling	16
16 Minard Harwood Grayling	11
17 Dick Kruger Lakeview, Mi	4
18 Bill Ayres Sheridan, Mi	27
19 Steve Belknap Holt, Mi	27
20 Howard Belknap Richville, Mi	27
21 Bob Zaverall Mt. Upton, N.Y.	27
22 Jeff Shultis Oneonta, N.Y.	27
23 John Baker Grayling	27
24 Ken Brown St. Clair Shores, Mi	27
25 Jack Kolka Pinconning, Mi	27
26 Jeff Kolka Grayling	27
27 Carl Joy Postoria, Mi	27
28 Rick Joy Postoria, Mi	27
29 Darwin Gilbert Lansing, Mi	27
30 Richard Raymond Lansing, Mi	27
31 Claude Corbin Quebec	27
32 Serge Corbin Quebec	27
33 Jerry Kellogg Muskegon, Mi	27
34 Steve Landick Lansing, Mi	27
35 Verlen Kruger Lansing, Mi	27
36 Bev Feldspausch Lansing, Mi	27
37 Butch Stockton Higgins Lake, Mi	27
38 Bob Welsch Southgate, Mi	27
39 Don Brandt Hale, Mi	27
40 Craig Hunt Tawas, Mi	27
41 Jim Bassett Grayling	27
42 Russ Papendick Frederic, Mi	27
43 Don Allen AuGres, Mi	27
44 Jim Allen AuGres, Mi	27
45 Gary Mundy Fenton, Mi	27
46 Dave Hays Roscommon, Mi	27
47 Jim Bouchard Spruce, Mi	27
48 Brian Krantz Tawas, Mi	27
49 Arv Mueller Oxford, Mi	27
50 Bob Martin Oxford, Mi	27
51 Bill Schmitz Southfield, Mi	27
52 Fred Hesse Southfield, Mi	27
53 Bill Morton Oscoda, Mi	27
54 Joe Kimmerer Hale, Mi	27
55 Steve Olson Grayling	27
56 Bill Dean Grayling	27
57 Bill Lerch Utica, Mi	27
58 Jim Stewart Madison Hgts., Mi	27
59 John Edmonds West Bloomfield, Mi	27
60 Mike Foster Howell, Mi	27
61 Don Grodin Fenton, Mi	27
62 Kent Larsen Milford, Mi	27
63 Dan Jordan Grant, Mi	27
64 Mike Jordan Grant, Mi	27
65 Larry Hoffman Saginaw, Mi	27
Team mate not announced	

Amateur Marathon

Teams	Canoe No.
1 Gary Niekie Tawas, Mi	27A
2 Rich Klimas Harbor Springs, Mi	5A
3 Matt Blair Harbor Springs, Mi	5A
4 Richard Kent Atlanta, Mi	88A
5 Dave Kent Atlanta, Mi	88A
6 Frank Adkins Fenton, Mi	3A
7 Mark Sass Bay City, Mi	3A
8 L.B. Dunn Durand, Mi	9A
9 Ken Jackson Flint, Mi	9A
10 Bob Zalewski Detroit, Mi	8A
11 John Hollands Pt. Huron, Mi	8A
12 Forest Haines Adrian, Mi	11A
13 Jim Myers Adrian, Mi	11A
14 Jerry Yokkois AuGres, Mi	6A
15 Jim Cerva AuBurn, Mi	6A
16 Charles Simpson Birmingham Hgts., Mi	77A
17 John Hies Bloomfield Hills, Mi	77A

Opposed

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preserved the river for the past 75 years," said one individual who testified at the hearing, "we can continue on without government intervention."

"No more federal regulations are necessary," was another comment made at the Friday session. Bernard Fowler, Grayling Township supervisor for 19 years, said the forest service is "moving to take away the rights of people to use their land."

The predominant sentiment expressed at Friday night's hearing opposed inclusion of the AuSable in the Wild & Scenic act. Congressman Bob Davis pretty much summed it up this way:

"I have always supported the conservation of our priceless natural resources. In the case of the AuSable, however, local units of government have already begun taking the necessary steps to protect the river's unique qualities and therefore question the wisdom of duplicative Federal action," Davis testified.

Despite the fact a large crowd gathered for the hearing, it cleared rapidly shortly after Ben Butts, president of Trout Unlimited's Chicago chapter, said that speaking at Friday's hearing "would do no good" because an even larger report would be sent to congress, most of which would not be read at all.

He urged members opposing the plan to begin immediately to start writing their representatives asking them to vote against the plan.

The lengthy session was shortened after Butts' comments and many who had asked to speak declined to do so and indicated they would instead file written comments on the issue.

Marriage Announced

On July 14, 1979 at 2:00 p.m., Charles W. Decker and Christine A. LaMotte were united in marriage in the Michelson Memorial Church by Rev. Otis P. Smith.

Attendants for the bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sullen Midland.

The wedding was attended by the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter LaMotte from Flint and mother of the groom Mrs. Charles W. Decker Sr. of Grayling. Other guests were from Marcellus, Mich. and Grand Rapids.

The couple will reside at Lake Margrethe.

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